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RELIGIOUS READING.

The value of churches and grounds in the United States up to July, 1897, was \$680,000,000.

The Rev. Sam Small has been appointed conference evangelist by the Georgia conference.

Eld. F. W. Allen will preach at the Christian church again next Sunday morning and night.

A bronze bust of Dr. J. J. Rocker, the work of Miss End Yandell, of Louisville, was unveiled at Georgetown College.

The next annual convention of the Kentucky Young Men's Christian Association will be held at Maysville on Feb. 17-20.

The Messenger says that Sam Jones left Owensboro with \$1,000 good dollars in his inside pocket, contributed by those who attended his meeting.

The Richmond Christian church has a total enrollment of 550, with an active membership of about 400. During the year 1897 there were 70 additions.

Fanny Crosby has written over 4,000 hymns. She has been totally blind from infancy, is now 73 years of age, and lives in Brooklyn, N. Y. Charles Wesley wrote 6,700 hymns.

Mr. George T. McRoberts asks us to say that Eld. J. G. Livingston will preach at the Christian church at Brodhead on the fourth Sunday morning and night in this month.

Mrs. Jennie Sigler, of Henderson, thought she was sanctified and too good to be a wife. She abandoned her husband, Dr. J. R. Sigler, who has now been granted an absolute divorce.

Judge J. K. Sumrall, of Danville, Boyle county, has recently made a donation of \$10,000 to assist in founding the Southern Presbyterian Theological Seminary at Louisville.—Central Methodist.

Chicago is reported to have 583 orthodox Protestant churches, with an aggregate membership of 153,326, and an average of 263 members to each church. This is exclusive of Unitarian, Universalist, Jewish and Roman Catholic churches.

A meeting of Baptist ministers of Knoxville, asked Rev. J. T. Hickman, pastor of the Smithwood church, to resign. He was convicted of betraying a girl while conducting a revival at Maryville. He is a married man and has three children.

Rev. Thomas E. Moore fell dead from an apoplectic stroke in the midst of his sermon at the Baptist church in Harper, Kas. Mr. Moore was one of the five young men who, in 1865, originated the Salvation Army movement in London, and was one of the first to start the crusade in this country.

From the sick room at Friedreichsruh of come loud and savage denunciations of the vanity, misery and folly of life. "I have never known happiness," says Blisnack. "I have lived too long. Death would be a joyous relief from a never light burden that has now become an intolerable torture." What a proof of the words of Solomon: "Vanities of vanities. All is vanity."

Presiding Elder, Rev. Dr. Vaughan, received a telegram Monday from his wife, in El Paso, Texas, announcing the sad news of the death of his daughter, Mrs. Evangeline, Miss Vaughan, some time since, had gone South for her health and recently becoming ill from the dread disease consumption, her mother had gone to her bedside. The remains will be brought here.—Hurstburg Sayings.

KIDD'S STORE.

Mrs. Walker Lyon has had a charming guest in Miss Lena Palmer, of Madison county. It is said that Walker was forced to add a bell-boy to his corps of servants and finds new door bell on the want list for New Year.

Rife Academy, the famous educational institution of this city, closed its annual term on 24th. Miss Essie Burch, as principal, demonstrated in the universal infatuation of pupils a magnetism that is as rare as enviable, and the phenomenal progress of the children induces determination to place an embargo on her employment elsewhere so long as we can tempt her return.

A PRONUNCIATION PUZZLE.—Cleopatra, isolated in the oasis, soon became acclimated and had ample leisure to contemplate all the economic details of her inexorable sword. The wound resisted the allopathic misogynist, who gave a courteous diagnosis and humbly craved precedence for a tiny idyl in the form of a vase with an aesthetic, acoustic apparatus. This told the news like a book, but it might have been a dog living in squalor from the look she launched at him, when he wrote down his address. She ate her breakfast and then fraternized with a national expert in appendicitis, who attended the obsequies.

The thimble swallowed by a little daughter of W. E. Harris at Harzburg, N. C., was located in her lung by an X ray and removed and the child is now out of danger.

LANCASTER.

The county supervisors will meet again on Tuesday, 18th, to hear reasons why certain property shall not be raised.

Judge J. S. Robinson is out after a few days illness. Dr. Elijah Evans has moved from his farm into the Marrs house on Richmond Avenue.

Louis Leavel, colored, was fined \$50 and given 20 days in jail in Judge Burnside's court for carrying concealed weapons, having drawn a pistol on R. W. Fletcher.

Senator G. T. Farris was given the chairmanship of the committee on claims and placed on banks and insurance, federal relations, military affairs and suffrage and elections.

The coroner's jury, which investigated the cause of the death of Rev. E. Richele, whose body was found near the depot Sunday morning, returned a verdict of death from heart disease.

Senator Farris has introduced a bill to repeal that part of the mob law which requires a county to furnish guards over property. If the bill passes, it will have some effect on the turnpike question in this county.

Both of our banks elected the old officials and directory, except that in the Citizens National, W. O. Rigney was promoted to the office of assistant cashier. He is a worthy and competent business man and has been in that institution for nine years.

Burglars entered the house of W. B. Mason Wednesday night, went through his pockets and papers, taking his watch and some handkerchiefs. The watch is open-faced, gold, Elgin No. 50, size 16. They also went through Mrs. Margaret Gilh's house and got \$2.50. Suspicious parties were seen here on Wednesday.

Mr. Solon B. Henry, superintendent of Lancaster Cemetery, kindly gave me the number of burials in the last two years. Fifty-two were buried in 1896 and only 37 in 1897. This shows a much more healthful state of affairs in the last than in the first year mentioned, notwithstanding the talk of so much sickness last year. People forget.

On Monday, Judge J. S. Robinson and Mr. J. W. Miller, presidents of the two Danville roads, on which gates were destroyed last Saturday night, appealed to Judge Burnside for guards. Four men were allowed and toll is being collected in the face of the threats made by the raiders. It is said that some who travel over the roads that are not free decline to pay toll, on the grounds that they should not be required to do so, and also to pay tax to purchase other roads where no toll is charged. They claim that this would be paying their own toll and helping to pay for others in other parts of the county.

The fiscal court convened on Wednesday to hear propositions in reference to the sale of other turnpikes. Before noon they purchased the four miles of the new Danville road, which lies in this county, for \$700. If bonds are authorized in November the cash will be paid, but if not 4 per cent interest will be paid until the debt is liquidated by annual payments out of a levy of 25 cents on each \$100 of property. The sum given was the amount at which the road was valued by the commissioners, who were sent out for that purpose, and the court will not vary from the values fixed by them, in any instance. So the owners of the other roads must accept or reject the figures fixed on them. The court will convene again Friday.

A sensation was created here on Wednesday when it was reported that Circuit Clerk Hamilton had refused to accept County Judge Burnside's bond because it was not offered in time, the law requiring it to be made on the first Monday of the year. The judge, clerk and County Attorney Owsley drove to Stanford to submit the matter to Judge Sauls who, I understand, advised the clerk to take the bond for reasons which are only partially known to me. Likely one was because he could hold under his old bond until another was executed, and because no one could declare the office vacant, without some legal proceeding in which the facts would be developed and because there is some conflict between the constitution and the statute fixing a certain day for the execution of the bond. Judge Burnside says that the bond had been signed for some time and he had neglected to submit it to the circuit clerk.

The cyclonic tendencies of the last several days culminated in a terrible tempest at Fort Smith, Ark., which killed 50 people and wounded hundreds of others. Wrecked houses caught fire and added further horror to the situation.

A Maine girl earned \$200 last summer selling four-leaf clovers at 10 cents each to a Boston jeweler, to be made into good luck bangles.

Chief Haager, of Louisville, has issued an order to the police to see that no red-birds are kept in confinement on their beats.



Full many a flower is born to blush un-seen
And waste its sweetness on the desert air.

THE LEGISLATURE.

A bill to raise the age of consent of girls from 12 to 16 is before the House. Mr. North's bill to prevent the marriage of first cousins has been favorably reported.

A member has presented a bill to make it a liable and jailable offense to sell or use cigarettes.

The democrats always act fairly. They gave the republicans four chairmanships in the Senate.

The Senate Steering Committee is as follows: Goebel, Bronston, McCord, Sims, Gillispie and Jones.

The House adopted a resolution by Mr. Charlton calling on the United States Senate to reject the Hawaiian annexation.

Mr. Petty, of Grant, has presented a bill to correct technicalities and prevent the expression of the people being thwarted in local option elections.

Mrs. Emma Guy Cromwell, librarian, turned over \$1,800 to the auditor's office. She has made the office self-sustaining and filled it with great credit.

There doesn't seem much probability of abolishing the office of register of lands when Senator Farris' legislative friends are grooming him for that position.

One of the bills introduced in the Virginia Legislature in the interest of good roads provides that persons sentenced to the county jail shall be formed into chain gangs and set to work upon the public highways.

Mr. Chinn, of Mercer county, will introduce a pure food bill that proposes to require that all adulterated food, liquors, drugs or anything manufactured for consumption shall be labelled when adulterated, and it lays a heavy penalty for a violation of the proposed act.

The revenue and taxation committee will recommend the consolidation of the offices of sheriff and jailer, to take effect at the expiration of the present term of the officers elected in November, except in the case of Jefferson county, where the change will go into immediate effect.

The speaker appointed the House committees Monday. Following are the chairmen of the more important ones: Judge J. Morgan Chinn, of Mercer; general statutes, B. W. Bradburn, of Bowling Green; corporations, Claude Desha, of Harrison; railroad, J. M. McLean, of Calloway; revenue and taxation, Emmett Orr, of Owen; charitable institutions, John T. Hinton, of Bourbon; municipalities, S. Atwood Smith, of Louisville; State prisons, South Trimble, of Franklin. Hon. M. F. North is given the chairmanship of propositions and grievances and a place on general statutes, court of appeals and on printing. Hon. J. R. Mount is chairman of immigration and labor.

The caucus for librarian was a lively affair and it had to adjourn at midnight Tuesday dead locked. The first ballot stood: Miss Hardin, 17; Miss Calhoun, 15; Miss Sublett, 13; Miss Barnett, Miss Lucas, and Miss Crutcher, 9 each; Mrs. Martin and Miss Cochran, 8 each; Miss Ingles, 7; Mrs. Boyd, 6. Mrs. Boyd, Miss Lucas and Miss Cochran were dropped after the fourth ballot in the order named. On the ninth and last ballot the other candidates stood as follows: Miss Hardin, 29; Miss Calhoun, 17; Miss Ingles, 14; Miss Barnett and Sublett, 13 each; Mrs. Martin and Miss Crutcher, 12 each.

Wednesday night on the 20th ballot the joint democratic caucus at Frankfort nominated Miss Pauline Hardin, of Covington, for State Librarian. The final ballot stood before the nomination was made unanimous: Miss Hardin, 45; Mrs. Martin, 22; Miss Ingles, 18; Miss Sublett, 13. Mrs. Martin announced her candidacy two years hence.

A rural citizen of Georgia, who feels that he has been slandered by a neighbor, writes to the Atlanta Constitution to say:

To the Publick About a Slanderous man, with his name is well-known: I forbear to Denounce the sneakin devile as he deserves, bein a Chrystian, and follower the Golden Rule, though a Free Silver man in politics. But I want to say to if he sed Sister Holly Higgins sed the Preacheer sed that I sed that Heethen Missionary mout be a dam, he is a Lier in Prayer meetin and endurin Church, an I kin whip him with one hand tyed behind my back—weekday or Sundaa!

Miss Mattie Buckley, of Barren, took strychnine in the presence of her lover, Joe Sims, with whom she had quarreled, and died in a short time.

LATER.—Sims has been arrested charged with administering the poison himself.

Rachael Bush, John Bush, Sr., and John Bush, Jr., respectively mother, father and son, were sentenced at Lexington to serve five years each in the penitentiary for burglary.

The child of W. L. Sullivan, of Paducah, weighing only 24 pounds, is dead.

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W. P. WALTON.

HON. M. F. NORTH buckled down to business Monday and although it was not an unusually good day for presenting bills and resolutions he got in the following: A bill to amend the school law with reference to election of trustees; to prevent persons from offering for sale the flesh of any diseased animal or one dying otherwise than by slaughter; to amend the statutes so that examining courts shall not receive more than \$2 for one day's service; to deduct pay for special judges from that of the regular judge, unless the latter be sick or disqualified; to provide that guards to convicts shall receive 10 cents a mile but one way in conveying them; to make it unlawful for first cousins to marry and declaring incestuous and void all such marriages; to prohibit persons from setting a fire, which is liable to spread to the land of another; to abolish the State board of equalization; to abolish and consolidate with that of auditor the office of register of lands and to require owners of dams across certain streams to construct and keep in repair fish ladders over said dams. In addition to these he presented a resolution for a constitutional amendment to create a board of pardons, to consist of the lieutenant governor, secretary of state, auditor and attorney general, who make recommendations when advisable for executive clemency, and another to abolish the office of commissioner of agriculture. All of the bills are good and the resolutions in the line of retrenchment and reform and if Mr. North shall succeed in having them adopted, he will come back to a grateful constituency wearing feathers in his cap and laurels on his brow.

We had never a doubt that Marcus Aurelius Hanna would not be elected Senator from Ohio, though we had hopes that he would not be. With unlimited means at his disposal, with the McKinley administration which he owns at his back, and venal republican legislators to work on, it was hoping against hope though, that this reprehensible figure in politics would be eliminated. After all the talk about a majority against him and after the proved stories of attempted bribery by him, he showed up on the first ballot in the separate Houses with enough votes to elect and he was elected by joint ballot Wednesday. United States Senatorships are usually put up to the highest bidder and this disgraceful episode in such elections calls louder than ever for the election of senators by a direct vote of the people. It isn't so easy to bribe them.

SENATOR JONES, of Barren, is going after a record with a vengeance. He never expects his party to be in power again so he has presented a bill to reduce the salary of nearly every important officer in the State from governor to circuit judge, which if adopted would save the State \$60,000 a year. He would reduce the judges of the court of appeals to \$3,500, circuit judges to \$2,000 and so on. Many of the salaries, if not all, are too high, but it is not likely that a bill for such sweeping reductions will be passed, especially on the recommendation of a republican, who does so much to help him in the race he expects to make for Congress.

The fact that the editor of this paper is referred to in the Louisville Times as "the old sinner" is proof positive that that old reprobate, Mr. Laurie J. Blakely, late of the Covington Commonwealth, is helping Emmett Logan to make the editorial page corrupt. He is not as well acquainted with the meek and lowly Christian spirit which engineers this journalistic craft as his partner in crime, or he would never be guilty of such indiscretion. If the Times wishes to avoid a libel suit, the management will see that we are hereafter referred to as a saint and not as a sinner.

WE have received with the compliments of the Courier Journal its splendid almanac for 1898. It is replete with valuable information, its 500 pages treating of over 10,000 subjects more or less at length. Matters of interest to every class of citizens is contained in it and at the low price of 25 cents no one can afford to do without it. Send amount to the Courier Journal Co. and get it postpaid or leave it with us and we will see that you get it.

AFTER a week or two of debate, during which the republicans gave the civil service law all sorts of hard ticks, the bill was brought to an end Tuesday after a tie vote, 125 to 125, which the speaker untied by voting in the affirmative. Then the body went right along and passed the appropriation for the civil service commission just as if no assaults had been made on it.

It is said that a member has already drawn up a resolution requesting Senator Lindsay to resign, which he will introduce if he is not confined in the Home of the Simples in the meantime. I congratulate you heartily, not only

upon a victory beneficial to the country, but upon your leadership in a contest worthily won, under the most trying circumstances.

Commissioner Evans will make himself unpopular with the pension attorneys if he doesn't mind. He says of them: "There are good men engaged in the pension attorney business, but the majority of them remind me of that beautiful bird that sails through the air so gracefully, but which the laws prohibit killing. The government has continued to pay pension attorneys for soliciting business for 30 years. Enough of this has been done. A law should be passed that in future no fee should be paid any attorney or claim agent for any claim filed for pensions. That would put an end to the pension scandals."

The Louisville Commercial is moving into its new quarters on Market Street and will begin the issue of an evening one cent paper in a few days. Under the management of Mr. Frank Gregory, this paper has taken on a new lease of life and promises to go at the head of the procession.

Now that the race for librarian has

been settled the Legislature can get down to real business. Miss Pauline Hardin, of Covington, was nominated and her picture shows that she is as beautiful as it is claimed by her friends that she is worthy.

POLITICAL POINTS.

The president has appointed John F. Jones postmaster at Catlettsburg and Thomas Mason at Ludlow.

Of the 20,000 Washington government clerks, nearly one-third are women, who receive from \$600 to \$1,800 yearly.

James R. Pugh has announced his candidacy against his brother, Sam J. Pugh, present Congressman from the 9th district.

Senator Money, of Mississippi, will be chosen as chairman of the democratic Congressional committee to succeed Senator Faulkner.

By a majority of only one Hanna was foisted on the country till March, 1905, but it took many \$10,000s to do it.

The republicans nominated Miss Norra Vansant, of Metcalfe, for librarian, thus making her the victim of a misplaced confidence.

Marcus A. Hanna was elected United States Senator at the joint session of the Ohio Legislature for both the long and short terms. He received 73 votes.

At last things are coming the farmer's way. J. Hoge Tyler is the first tiller of the soil Virginia has called to the gubernatorial chair for 40 years.

Speaker Reed has called a halt on private pension bills, and the House pensions committee will hereafter refuse to consider the majority of these measures. Good!

Charles Page Bryan has been appointed minister to Brazil, and the Chinese mission, for which Mr. Bryan was first selected, has been given to Edwin H. Congor, of Iowa.

The Ohio Legislature voted down a resolution to investigate the charges of bribery made against Hanna, but they will be investigated by the newspapers and the courts.

Senator Chandler, after a conference with President McKinley, announced that the latter stands firmly in favor of international bimetallism and intends to again send envoys to Europe.

Judge Paul, of the Federal court at Bristol, Tenn., has taken another swipe at State sovereignty, holding that State taxes can not be collected on property in the hands of receivers of his court.

The people of Louisiana, by a decisive majority, have voted for a constitutional convention, the principal object of which will be the adoption of an educational qualification for voters.

Senator Farris presented a bill to amend the mob law so as to compel corporations desiring guards to bear the expenses, which if passed, will amount practically to a repeal of the Martin law.

It is said that President McKinley will in a few days issue an order exempting from civil service regulations deputy internal revenue collectors, deputy marshals and several other positions.

Miss Mary E. Nason, of Boston, who has been appointed by Gov. Wolcott factory inspector of the police force, has had a wide experience in labor circles, and is regarded as a conservative and clear-headed woman.

A dispatch from Washington says that Col. D. R. Collier, who is there, acknowledges that he has no chance for the surveyorship, which is more the pity. His friends in this section hoped to see him fill the place again.

The Mississippi Legislature, in separate session, cast a majority of votes for H. D. Money for United States Senator, but owing to a difference between State and Federal statutes will take another ballot next Tuesday.

"We can look the Dingley bill over and can point to nearly a hundred million dollars taxes levied directly upon the poor people of the country and placed in the pockets of the trusts." — Letter of A. L. Conger, a republican and a member of the staff of Gov. Bushnell, of Ohio.

Show manufacturers are about to make a cut in wages, and the responsibility for it is laid upon the Dingley tariff, which put an exorbitant duty on raw hides. The Armour and big packing concerns are benefited by the duty, but it does not appear just where the protection to labor comes in.

President McKinley telegraphed his congratulations to Hanna as follows: The result now plainly forecast is one in which our best citizenship, irrespective of party, will profoundly rejoice.

When two footpads attacked the conductor of a street car in Chicago and tried to rob him, the three male passengers jumped off and ran, but Miss Sadie Williams went to his rescue and with her hair pin succeeded in putting the robbers to flight. Afterwards, very woman-like, she thought the matter over and fainted. A picture of the heroine and her weapon is now having a great run in the dailies.

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It is stated that the Rothschilds will build a railroad into the Yukon country over the Dalton trail. The road will be about 400 miles long and the cost of construction and equipments is estimated at \$8,000,000.

Mayfield is in a fever of excitement over the brutal ravishing of the 11-year-old daughter of Mrs. Gertie Bailey, by a Negro man, a worthless character named Bob Blanks and he is certain to be lynched if caught.

Fourteen large department stores in Denver have combined and demand that the newspapers of that city reduce advertising rates 20 per cent. The newspapers are resisting the demand and an interesting fight is in progress.

In Christian county, Part Wilson was shot through the heart and instantly killed by Claud Waddington. Waddington accused Wilson of stealing a bridle. Wilson, who was married, was shot twice through the heart and lungs.

It is reported that Indians are on the warpath in Oklahoma, seeking revenge for the burning of the two Seminoles, McGeeley and Simpson, by a mob last week, and that 25 citizens of Pottawatomie county have been killed. An armed posse of citizens is in pursuit of the savages.

At Newbern, N. C., Robert Hancock, 33, appointed by Gov. Russell president of the Atlantic & North Carolina, and one of the leading republicans in that State, is charged by Annie Abbott, his wife's niece and also his stenographer, aged 17, with ruining her. She sues for \$10,000 damages. She says he forced her to comply with his wishes.

There have been over 400 new industries started in the South in the last three months.

The 10-year-old son of George Orange, of Logan county, hung himself. Cause unknown.

A woman at Agonquin, Ill., confessed that she murdered her 13-year-old step-daughter.

One man was killed and a loss of \$15,000 caused by an early morning fire at Russellville.

Five million dollars in gold is stored in Dawson, and will be brought to the States in the spring.

The large planing mill of J. A. Shropshire & Sons, at Georgetown, was destroyed by fire.

Arch Dixon was sentenced to serve 10 years in the penitentiary, for raping Blanche Cabel, at Henderson.

Bourbon county pays her superintendent of roads \$1,200 a year, which is \$200 more than the county judge gets.

One of Louisville's new enterprises for 1898 will be an establishment for the manufacture of horseless carriages.

Charles Sanderson, known as the largest man in Indiana, is dead of blood-poisoning. He weighed 165 pounds.

Mrs. Augusta Nack, the alleged slayer of Guldensuppe, the New York bath-rubber, was sentenced to 15 years imprisonment.

Seth Burrows, a cowboy of El Paso, Texas, got into a fight in Juarez, Mexico, and killed four men before he was himself slain.

Mexico now has lady bull fighters, Brooklyn has lady foot ball players and Middletown, N. Y., has a lady street-car motorman.

A Massachusetts farmer, his wife and adopted daughter were murdered in their beds. A hired man is suspected of the crime.

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The capital of Amoy, one of the Moluccas islands, was demolished by an earthquake. Fifty persons were killed and 200 injured.

Corbett announced in a St. Louis theatre where he was playing, that he would give Fitzsimmons \$35,000 if he did not whip him in 10 rounds.

The Duke of Litta is suing his wife for divorce in a French court and names King Humbert, of Italy, as corespondent, by whom he claims his wife had a child.

Miss Ella Barnes, of Birmingham, Ala., who threw a lighted lamp at Miss Bessie Thomas, burning her to death, was acquitted on the grounds of self-defense.

When Eb Howard was acquitted at Bowling Green of horse stealing, his female relatives who were in the court room, shouted, and some of them hugged the jurors. Howard is only 18 years old.

Nearly \$5,000,000 worth of patent medicines are exported from the United Kingdom each year.

W. L. Dorman and three friends from Laporte, Ind., who went to the Klondike, froze to death while enroute.

Charles F. Kendall, president of the Kendall Knitting Co., with factories at Camden, Utica and Syracuse, N. Y., died of heart disease in the dining room of the Burnett House, in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Jeannette Robinson Murphy, a young Kentucky widow, in New York, is making a big success of the unique calling of singing Southern black minstrel songs at fashionable entertainments.

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A woman at Agonquin, Ill., confessed that she murdered her 13-year-old step-daughter.

One man was killed and a loss of \$15,000 caused by an early morning fire at Russellville.

Five million dollars in gold is stored in Dawson, and will be brought to the States in the spring.

The large planing mill of J. A. Shropshire & Sons, at Georgetown, was destroyed by fire.

Arch Dixon was sentenced to serve 10 years in the penitentiary, for raping Blanche Cabel, at Henderson.

P. P. Nunnelley sold in Atlanta 30 cotton mules at all the way from \$23 to \$65. He reports the market very dull, except for the very best class of mules.

A 1,000 to 1,100-pound steer left my place about three weeks ago. Reward for his return or information leading to recovery. Geo. S. Shelby, Shelby City.

Lyon & Allen, of the West End, have contracted to furnish O. P. Huffman with his bees this year. It is to be hoped that they will buy no old cows or work cattle.

W.H. DeLong sold to parties in Norfolk, Va., 27 cotton mules at \$70. Frank Rook, of Danville, Tenn., who brought a lot of sheep to this city, has sold about 100 at an average of 2.33.—Advocate.

Jim Bledsoe, of Paris, Mo., had the heaviest bunch of cattle so far reported. When he put them on feed Jan. 1, they averaged 1,150 pounds. He sold them at home at 5c. in October, when they averaged 1,628 pounds.

Thomas W. Griffin, of Syracuse, N. Y., bought in Lexington Miss Brown, 2:24, for \$1,000; Nicola, a brown mare by Darknight, for \$1,100, and of R. G. Evans, of Danville, a four-year-old mare by Lord Russell, for \$1,000.

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THE MONEY MAKING TIME

For us. With the dawning of the New Year we begin a tremendous effort to unload our winter goods as we do not want to carry goods from one season to another, and thus present again to the general purchasing public another one of those

Great Bargain Opportunities!

Winter is just beginning and there will be weeks yet for you to wear winter goods and it will be best to buy while we are applying the knife.

To clean out Capes and JACKETS we have cut the price to one-half.

\$10 JACKETS for \$5

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SPECIAL or difficult prescription work may be left to us with the utmost confidence. Penny's Drug Store.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mrs. W. S. WARREN remains very ill.

Mrs. WILLIAM HICK went to Louisville Tuesday.

Mrs. G. H. COOPER is spending a few days at Hustonville.

Mrs. HOLLIS CARRIER has returned from a visit to Junction City.

HORACE BOHON, of Casey, was with his uncle, S. P. Stagg, this week.

Mrs. NANNIE OWENS, of Cumberland Falls, is visiting Mrs. J. B. Owens.

W. A. Young, of Campbellsville, killed a hog a week ago that netted \$73 pounds.

MESSRS. J. H. HOCKER and J. B. Cook, of Hustonville, were here Wednesday.

Mrs. R. S. LYTTLE accompanied her husband on his trip in the mountains this week.

MESSRS. H. S. AND E. E. YOUNG went to Louisville Wednesday to seek employment.

Mr. W. C. WHITE, of Parksville, spent several days with his brother, Mr. J. M. White.

W. K. BALL, of Garrard, has rented and moved into the Misses Warren's property on Danville street.

Mr. R. W. HOCKER, of Kansas City, and Mrs. P. W. Logan, who has been visiting him, will arrive to-day.

MISS MINNIE RUPLEY, who has been teaching school near Phil. Casey county, has returned to her father's.

MR. A. A. McKINNEY rounded out his 24th year of honorable service in the First National Bank last Saturday.

MISS MARIE WESTERFIELD, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. L. M. Westerfield, returned to Parksville Wednesday.

MR. W. G. LACKEY has given up his position as railroad attorney and has returned to St. Louis to practice law with Mr. Garesche.

OUR correspondent at Moreland, Mr. T. H. Wright, sent us six new subscribers this week. Can't some of our reporters go and do likewise?

MRS. W. O. BRADLEY has returned to Frankfort from a lengthy stay in Washington City, where her daughter, Miss Christine, is attending college.

MESMAMES A. A. MCKINNEY, Henry Lammers, C. A. Moore and G. B. Warren attended a meeting of the Junction City Macabee Hive Tuesday.

THE appointment of P. M. McRoberts, Esq., to be commissioner of the Kentucky School for the Deaf, to succeed Mr. S. H. Shanks, was confirmed by the Senate.

It didn't take W. L. Evans long to get another position as traveling salesman after his old house assigned, Saturday. Goods from his new house, E. Engelhard, reached merchants here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. F. BURCHER, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Adams, returned to Lexington Wednesday. Her husband is a conductor on the C. & O.

Mr. F. T. FOX, Jr., the genial dry-cyanian of Danville, has been here several times recently, and there is a suspicion that he has gone into the patent medicine business.

ATTORNEY SAM HOOKER, of Russellville, who married pretty Miss Nannie Kennedy, of this county, has formed a partnership with Messrs. Ben T. Perkins and S. Y. Trimble, of Elkhorn.

HARVEY HELM WILKINSON is the name of a 12-pound youngster which arrived at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilkinson's Tuesday. Grandpa John W. Moore came up from Casey as soon as he heard the news.

MR. J. C. FLORENCE's appointment as postmaster of Stanford has been confirmed by the Senate, and it now only remains for him to make bond and take charge. A good deal of red tape has to be measured, however, and this will take two or three weeks.

LOCAL MATTERS.

STORE-ROOM next to Farmers Bank for rent. W. P. Walton.

FARM products taken in exchange for coal. J. H. Baughman & Co.

W. H. TRAYLOR'S distillery will start up to-day on a larger scale than ever.

JUDGE BAILEY has called the fiscal court to meet Tuesday, Jan. 18, to consider turnpike and other matters.

LOST.—Ladies' pocket-book between post-office and J. M. White's. Contained \$7 or \$8. Leave at this office and get reward.

W. W. WHITE has received his commission as postmaster Lytle (Bright's Mill) and made bond yesterday with W. P. Carson as security. The mail will be carried from this office.

DANKS, the jeweler, for jewelry.

HOUSE for rent. Mrs. N. A. Tyree.

COAL at cost. See ad. J. H. Baughman & Co.

GRAHAM and buckwheat flour at Higgins & McKinney's.

HIGGINS & MCKINNEY are agents for Champion binders and mowers.

SPECIAL prices on cottons and sheetings for January. Severance & Sons.

WE have a full stock of Falls Branch Coal now. J. H. Baughman & Co.

FIVE THOUSAND yards new lace and embroideries at Severance & Sons.

SEE our steel beam Oliver before you buy a plow. Higgins & McKinney.

FIELD'S MINSTRELS have contracted to appear at Walton's Opera House on Feb. 17.

LOST box containing jewelry between Cedar Creek and Stanford. Leave at this office.

WE will take pleasure in showing you our laces and embroideries. Severance & Sons.

WIND blew down J. M. Coffey's corn crib and damaged his barn considerably a few nights ago.

H. J. DARST had to postpone his sale on account of the bad weather till next Tuesday, 18th. See ad.

DEATH.—L. D. Florence, of Daviess county, brother of Postmaster-elect J. C. Florence, died a few days ago.

TO YOU.—You must pay your account at once. Delay is dangerous so don't take chances. M. S. & J. W. Baughman.

DR. DENNIS moved out without saying word to us or anybody and has gone to greener pastures with his medicine.

PLEASE call and settle your account. We have adopted the cash system and must close up our credit business. W. B. McRoberts.

WE offer special values in Dimities at 10, 15, 20 and 35c. You have paid 5 to 10 more on the yard for the same goods many times. Severance & Sons.

SHERIFF NEWLAND has filed his delinquent tax list for publication and it will appear Tuesday. It is not yet too late to save yourself: see him at once and settle.

LAST CALL FOR TAXES.—Town property on which taxes have not been paid will be advertised and sold if the owners do not settle with me at once. O. J. Newland, collector.

FOR SALE.—One of the best family horses in Lincoln county, also good second-hand buggy and set of harness and new kitchen range. Address J. T. Sharrard, Stanford, Ky.

LIBERTY.—Mr. John W. Moore tells us that 14 new houses are going up in Liberty and that the town is booming in many ways. The new planing mill will start up next week, he says.

THE Economical Lunch Club, after a long sleep, will be revived next Thursday, when it will meet at Mrs. J. H. Baughman's from 2 to 4 p. m. All the old members are cordially invited.

THE teachers who expected their draw the other day, were disappointed when Supt. Singleton told them the money had not come. It is now said it will be here the 3d Saturday in February.

A THIEF entered Mrs. Kate Dudderar's residence on Lancaster street, while the family were at dinner a few days ago, and got away with the \$17 she had laid by to pay her taxes with no clue.

THE Lincoln County Medical Society held an interesting meeting here Tuesday and elected officers as follows: Dr. Steele Bailey, president; Dr. E. J. Brown, vice president, and Dr. C. M. Thompson, secretary.

BIG MULES.—Mr. J. J. Spears, of the Moreland section, had his 16½ hands yearling mule on exhibition here court-day and it attracted no little attention. He is by Silgall's jack and promises to be a world beater. Mr. J. K. Baughman, of Hustonville, has a mare mule, not quite three years old, which is 18 hands high, and still growing.

THE Hustonville National Bank elected directors as follows Tuesday: Dr. Edward Alcorn, J. T. Rose, Dr. H. Brown, T. J. Robinson, J. W. Powell, George L. Carpenter, H. H. McAninch, W. P. Walton and Cleo Reynolds.

The directors in turn re-elected Dr. Alcorn president, J. T. Rose vice president, J. W. Hocker cashier and J. H. Hocker assistant cashier.

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YOUR watch will be repaired skillfully by Danks, the jeweler.

A NICE suite of rooms over Higgins & McKinney's store for rent.

A GOOD deal of fencing and a number of trees were blown down during a storm in the Hall's Gap section Wednesday evening.

WARM, rainy weather has prevailed all week till yesterday when it began to get cold and the prediction is for colder and fair to-day.

THE old directors of the First National Bank of Stanford were re-elected Tuesday with the exception of Mr. K. L. Tauner, who wished to retire, and W. P. Walton was chosen in his stead.

PARDONED.—L. S. Wilson, who was serving out a fine in jail for carrying concealed weapons, etc., was pardoned as far as the imprisonment portion is concerned by Gov. Bradley Wednesday. Wilson, who is working on the C. S. near Milledgeville, was tried before Squire Coffey.

FINED.—Babe Hansford was fined \$5 in Judge Carson's court for drunkenness and Jesse Hays caught a \$3 fine for disorderly conduct. The former is working out his fine on the streets. John Hayden, for attempting to whip Preach Williams, was fined \$5 and costs. All are Negroes.

MORELAND.—Mr. T. H. Wright telephoned us yesterday the following shipments that were made from Moreland during 1897: 15 cars of horses, 62 cars of hogs, 64 cars of cattle, 275 cars of lumber and staves, 33 cars of tanbark 16 cars hay, 267 bushels of tobacco and 26 cars of sheep.

THE marshal of Hustonville, Eugene Goode, received an anonymous letter the other day asking him to notify the Hustonville & Stanford and Hustonville & Danville pike owners to withdraw their toll-collectors or the gates would be destroyed no matter how many guards were put at them. It was doubtless the work of some miscreant, who was trying to work a bluff game, but he didn't.

THE old stone house, where the sale of Mr. H. J. Darst will be held Tuesday next, is one of the oldest in this section and a well authenticated legend says that the late John A. Logan, afterwards distinguished as a soldier and a statesman, first saw the light in it. He was closely related to the large Logan family in this section, the old members of whom say that he was undoubtedly born there.

FOURTEN years ago, Joe Mack Smith left here suddenly and had never been heard of since, until a few days ago, when his children, James, John and Miss Sallie, received a letter written by him to his brother at Walnut Hills, Mo., and forwarded to them. In it he told his brother that he was in the Indian Territory, about to die, and to send him \$25. His children are all grown now and had long since mourned him as dead.

THOSE who have an idea that the telephone here is used but little will have it changed by a visit to the exchange. Wednesday was not an average day, but even then from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M. there were 115 calls. The greatest were for Higgins & McKinney, 14, and the next Baughman's stable, 13. The INTERIOR JOURNAL was away down in the list with three, but it made up for it yesterday.

WHEN Judge Bailey got home the other night he found somebody else's Buffalo robe in his buggy. He probably didn't steal it, but his conscience hurts him, and he will return it to the one who can prove it as his property.

After the above was put in type, Miss Jeannie Foland came in to advertise for such a robe and on being directed to the judge, it was found that the one he had was hers. Some mischievous rascal had evidently transferred it from one vehicle to the other.

HUSTONVILLE.—George D. Weatherford telephoned us that W. C. Wolford's store at Kidd's Store was broken into Wednesday night and robbed of a lot of flour, meal and meat, &c. Entrance was effected by breaking open the rear door.—A swell card party was given by the Misses Alcorn Wednesday night, when a delightful lunch was spread. A dozen or more couples were present and all had a splendid time.—Miss Mac Logan has returned from a protracted visit to relatives at Bowling Green.—Sam Rigney, for shooting at Ed Drye, also colored, was fined \$5 in the police court Thursday morning.

MATRIMONIAL.

John Noaks, 23, and Miss Lucinda Long, who is but 15, were married at Kriger Tuesday.

Wm. Onstott, of Illinois, aged 26, took Miss Mamie Spratt, 23, to Lancaster on the 12th, and made her his wife.

Mrs. Louis Edwards, a widow of 48 was married at Shreveport, La., to Harry Engleman, 20. The bride has five sons older than her husband.

The Advocate says there are 18 suits for divorce on the docket of the circuit court which begins there Monday.

MARRIAGE must be a failure over there.

Benson Eggers, of North Salem, Ind., who is 18 years old, has been married

three times and is charged with bigamy. This beats the devil—of the Somerset Reporter, though he has two years to go on yet.

Will Garner and Miss Hattie Buchanan, both of the East End, were married at Eld. J. G. Livingston's by that gentleman Wednesday afternoon. The groom is an industrious, clever young man and his bride is both pretty and popular.

A triple wedding in one family on the same day does not often occur, but it did in the Parrish family at Horse Cave, when a brother and two sisters were married. The contracting parties were: W. P. Munnelly and Miss Delta Parrish, F. C. Parrish and Miss Marietta Wether, Dr. W. W. McPherson and Miss Lizzie Parrish. The L & N. railroad furnished a special coach to transport the three couples to Cincinnati.

Friends here have received invitations to the marriage of Mr. Robert Graham Evans to Miss Lillian, daughter of Judge Joseph Kincaid Sumrall, of Danville, which will occur at the First Presbyterian church, of that city, at 2:30 P. M., Jan. 26. This marriage was announced to occur in the fall but Mr. Evans was taken down with a spell of fever and the prospective bride has also been ill.

Col. Albert E. Boone, "the railway pathfinder," is having some trouble in Indiana with the proposed and much discussed "Black Diamond road." The people do not like the plans of the company and unless a change is made it is very doubtful if the road will ever materialize.

In 1850 the tallest building in New York was only five stories high, and the church spires were high above them. Now there is but one spire in the city as high as the tallest building—that of Trinity, which is 286 feet above the street.

In a quarrel over a young lady to whom both had been paying attention, Charles Bowman stabbed Lewis Lamb at Crutcher, Madison county. Lamb's wounds are serious. Bowman was arrested.

The judiciary committee of the House will report adversely the salary reduction bill.

Lincoln Circuit Court, Osborne Hutchins & Hunt, plaintiff, vs. W. E. Varmon, Administrator, defendant. Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of reference in the term 1895, of said court all persons having claims against the estate of Margaret Blinn are directed to produce them to the Commissioner at his office in Stanford, Ky., on or before the 31st day of January, 1898, property verified as the law directs, and on or before that day the Commissioner will hear and determine any other questions raised by the order of reference and all the parties to interest herein may introduce proof before the Commissioner in any of the matters set out in the petition.

Jan. 11th, 1898. R. C. WARREN, Com'r.

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I will rent publicly on the premises.

Thursday, Jan. 27, 1898,

My farm located on the Hanging Fork, 7 miles from Stanford and 6 miles from Danville, and about 100 of which is for corn, 22 acres for oats. Twenty-one acres of new meadow and about 175 acres of blue-grass.

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KNOXVILLE DIVISION.

No. 24 Train going North 12:37 p. m.
No. 25 " " " " " 8:15 a. m.
No. 26 " " " " " 12:04 p. m.
No. 27 " " " " " 1:27 p. m.
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	A. M.	P. M.	A. M.
No. 35	2:00	Lv. Somerset, Ar 12:55	8:25
" 3:15 "	3:15	Ar 1:31	8:25
" 4:50 "	4:50	Arr Georgetown, Lv 9:25	8:25
" 11:55 "	11:55	Frankfort, " 6:30	8:00
Daily except Sunday.	8:40	Arr Paris, " 5:30	

C. D. BERCAW, G. P. A.

QUEEN & CRESCENT.

Train pass Junction City as follows:
No. 1 South 11:57 a. m. No. 2 North, 3:30 p. m.
No. 3 " " 11:24 p. m. " 4 " 3:46 a. m.
No. 5 " " 11:28 a. m. " 6 " 3:30 p. m.
No. 9 " " 8:20 p. m. " 10 " 6:00 a. m.

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